

Basin Electric Power Cooperative
Project 2004-1 RWP, Contract 499691
42" Cement-Mortar-Lined & Tape Coated Steel Pipe; 46,954 L.F. (8.9 miles)

General Contractor: Garney Construction, Kansas City, MO – (816) 746-7201
 High Country Pipeline (HCP), Penrose, CO – (719) 372-7114
 Contractor’s Principal-in-Charge – Norbie Larsen
 Contractor’s Project Superintendent – Gus Mendez

Owner: Basin Electric Power Cooperative, Bismarck, ND – (701) 355-5635
 Cris Miller - Environmental Coordinator

Engineer: Bartlett & West Engineers, Inc., Bismarck, ND – (701) 258-1110
 Project Manager – Joe Bichler; Contract Administrators – Dale Schafer & James Landenberger

Briefly Describe Construction Activity for Week No. 31 (4/24/06 –4/30/06):

HCP continued excavating and installing appurtenances and the insulating subcontractor was on site to insulate the concrete manhole risers. Pipe deliveries and stringing continued on the north end of the project. On the south end of the project, pipe was installed to Sta 437+19. HCP continued to work in the area of the crossing of the existing PCCP and the new steel pipe line near Sta 434+84. HCP’s welding subcontractor continued welding joints in the restrained joint area between Sta 433+98 and 437+19. One of HCP’s crews took a 5-day break from Thursday through Monday, in order to complete their required MSHA training. Precipitation: 0.25 inches fell within the Project area over the last week.

Specific Activity on Pipeline Project:

ROW – Strip Topsoil	Sta. <u>88+70</u>	To Sta. <u>435+00</u>	Length = <u>34630</u>	% Complete to date	<u>73.8%</u>
String Pipeline Along ROW	Sta. <u>129+86</u>	To Sta. <u>440+66</u>	Length = <u>31743</u>	% Complete to date	<u>67.6%</u>
Install 42" Pipeline	Sta. <u>150+01</u>	To Sta. <u>437+19</u>	Length = <u>30465</u>	% Complete to date	<u>64.9%</u>
Pressure Testing Pipeline	Sta. _____	To Sta. _____	Length = _____	% Complete to date	<u>0</u>
Combination Air Valves	Total of 13			% Complete to date	<u>15%</u>
Blowoff Assemblies	Total of 15			% Complete to date	<u>25%</u>
Inline Valve Vaults	Total of 3			% Complete to date	<u>10%</u>
Seeding	Sta. _____	To Sta. _____	Length = _____	% Complete to date	<u>0</u>
Install 54" Bore & Jacked	RR Activity? Y or <input type="radio"/> N	% Complete <u>100%</u>	Rd 15 (1) Activity? Y or <input type="radio"/> N	% Complete <u>100%</u>	
	Rd 15 (2) Activity? Y or <input type="radio"/> N	% Complete <u>100%</u>	Hwy 1806/Haul Rd Activity? Y or <input type="radio"/> N	% Complete <u>100%</u>	Hwy 1806 Haul Rd
Intake Valve Vault & North Connection	Activity? Y or <input type="radio"/> N		% Complete _____		
Tie-In @ Plant	Activity? Y or <input type="radio"/> N		% Complete _____		

Brief Description of Significant Work Activity Anticipated for Next Week:

HCP should continue with pipe deliveries and stringing the pipe along the easement on the north end of the project. HCP should also continue installing pipe on the south end of the project, working towards the PWT. The insulating subcontractor should also be on site to continue with the insulating of the blowoff and CAV manhole risers that were previously installed by HCP. A weekly construction meeting is scheduled for Wednesday May 3rd, at the BEPC/B&W Field Office, starting at 10:00 am CDT.